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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 1623**

PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 08505.0020

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Jenkins, Peter James et al.) Group Art Unit: 1623
Application No.: 10/776,188) Examiner: E. Peselev
Filed: February 12, 2004)
For: PREPARATION AND DIABETIC) Confirmation No.: 3089
USE OF GIBBERELLINS)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Amendment After Final

In reply to the Final Office Action dated March 6, 2006, and the Advisory Action dated July 13, 2006, the period for reply having been extended to September 6, 2006, by a request for an extension of three months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows. Applicants have filed concurrently herewith a Notice of Appeal and the required fee to maintain the pendency of this application until November 6, 2006, for reconsideration by the Examiner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning at p. 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper beginning at p. 18.